

**REMARKS**

Claims 21-41 are pending. Applicant has cancelled claim 42. Applicant thanks the Examiner for allowing claims 21-41. All pending claims have been allowed.

Based upon these remarks and amendments, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application and its early allowance. If the Examiner has any questions or believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned at (206) 359-6478.

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